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Request for Continued Examination (RCE) Transmittal  
Petition for Extension of Time Under 37 C.F.R. 1.136(a)

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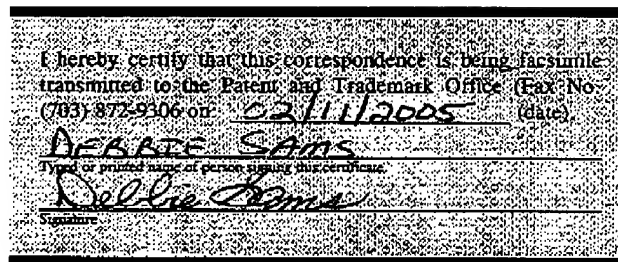
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## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: John L. Blair, *et al.*  
Serial No.: 09/813,424  
Filed: March 21, 2001  
Title: CONTROLLER AND TRANSCEIVER EMPLOYABLE  
IN A WIRELESS COMMUNICATIONS NETWORK  
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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT SUBMITTED WITH RCE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.114(c)**

Before continuing examination of the above-identified application, please refer to the below arguments and amend the claims as indicated.